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Count 1

A superconducting composition exhibiting zero electrical resistance at a temperature of 77° K or above having the nominal formula:

 $Y_ABa_BCu_cO_x$

where A is from 1.0 to 1.4; B is from 0.6 to 1.0; C is from 0.8 to 1.2 and X is from about 2 to 4.

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Wu: Claim 1.

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